

**Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

***Recognizing the important role that fathers play in the lives of their children and families:*** H. Con. Res. 285, to recognize the important role that fathers play in the lives of their children and families and to support the goals and ideals of designating 2010 as the Year of the Father; **Pages H4692–93**

***Expressing support for designation of the week beginning May 2, 2010, as “National Physical Education and Sport Week”:*** H. Res. 1373, to express support for designation of the week beginning May 2, 2010, as “National Physical Education and Sport Week”; **Pages H4694–96**

***Recognizing the 50th anniversary of the conclusion of the United States-Japan Treaty of Mutual Cooperation and Security:*** H. Res. 1464, to recognize the 50th anniversary of the conclusion of the United States-Japan Treaty of Mutual Cooperation and Security and to express appreciation to the Government of Japan and the Japanese people for enhancing peace, prosperity, and security in the Asia-Pacific region; **Pages H4709–11**

***Calling for the immediate and unconditional release of Israeli soldier Gilad Shalit held captive by Hamas:*** H. Res. 1359, amended, to call for the immediate and unconditional release of Israeli soldier Gilad Shalit held captive by Hamas; and

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***Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on the one-year anniversary of the Government of Iran’s fraudulent manipulation of Iranian elections:*** H. Res. 1457, to express the sense of the House of Representatives on the one-year anniversary of the Government of Iran’s fraudulent manipulation of Iranian elections, the Government of Iran’s continued denial of human rights and democracy to the people of Iran, and the Government of Iran’s continued pursuit of a nuclear weapons capability. **Pages H4716–21**

**Moment of Silence:** The House observed a moment of silence in memory of Thomas Ludlow Ashley, former Member of Congress. **Pages H4728–31**

**Requesting return of official papers on H.R. 5136:** The House agreed to H. Res. 1467, requesting return of official papers on H.R. 5136.

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**Commission on International Religious Freedom—Appointment:** The Chair announced the Speaker’s appointment of the following members on the part of the House to the Commission on International Religious Freedom: Ms. Elizabeth W.

Prodromou of Boston, MA, for a two-year term ending May 14, 2012, to succeed herself. Upon the recommendation of the Minority Leader: Mr. Ted Van Der Meid of Rochester, NY, for a two-year term ending May 14, 2012, to succeed Ms. Nina Shea.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Five yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4696, H4697, H4697–98, H4728, H4731–32, and H4732. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### INDIAN RESERVATIONS—FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

**Committee on Agriculture:** Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry held a hearing to review the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations. Testimony was heard from Kevin Concannon, Under Secretary, Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services, USDA; and public witnesses.

### OIL RIG/CLEANUP—WORKER HEALTH AND SAFETY

**Committee on Education and Labor:** Held a hearing on Worker Health and Safety from the Oil Rig to the Shoreline. Testimony was heard from RADM Kevin Cook, USCG, Director, Prevention Policy, Marine Safety, Security, and Stewardship, U.S. Coast Guard, Department, of Homeland Security; John Howard, M.D., Director, National Institute, Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Department of Health and Human Services; David Michaels, Assistant Secretary, Occupational Safety and Health, Department of Labor; and Doug Slitor, Acting Chief, Office of Offshore Regulatory Programs, Offshore Energy and Minerals Management, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior.

### MEDPAC’S REPORT TO CONGRESS: ALIGNING INCENTIVES IN MEDICARE

**Committee on Energy and Commerce:** Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “MedPAC’s June 2010 Report to Congress: Aligning Incentives in Medicare.” Testimony was heard from. Glenn Hackbarth, Chairman, Medicare Payment and Advisory Commission.